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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

THOMAS Q. HU ET AL.

Serial No. 10/532,138

Filed April 20, 2005

For: LIGHT-STABLE AND PROCESS-STABLE  
LIGNOCELLULOSIC MATERIALS AND  
THEIR PRODUCTION

Art Unit 1731

Examiner - Michael J. Felton

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
U. S. A.

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 7, 2007 and also has reference to the telephone conversation with the Examiner on March 6, 2007.

No amendment is made in the claims.

The response follows under the heading "Remarks".